

Alexandria Gazette.

THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 17, 1882.

The Star of Empire Moving Southward.
Senator Voorhees, of Indiana, in his late speech in the Senate in opposition to internal taxation, said:—

"It has been said and sung through generations that westward the star of empire takes its way, not the empire of force, but of development, of thought, of industry and of human progress. The course of that star in this community points now in another direction. I see it hovering over the mountains and the plains of the South, the herald of a new and marvelous birth in all that region of richer resources than the globe anywhere else contains.

"I am not here to-day to discuss the politics of the South in the past, but I invoke for her now a policy which will cause her future to shine with a strength and independence and a renown such as she herself never dreamt of in her most ambitious moods. That development of the South, of which she is capable, is but scarcely begun. Ninety-five per cent. of her gigantic natural wealth yet sleeps the sleep of ages, undisturbed by the enterprise of man.

"Let us cross the Potomac and stand for a few minutes together on the soil of Virginia. Virginia is rich enough this hour in all that is most useful in human advancement to pay not only her own debt, but the national debt besides. Wiley, in his extensive and valuable treatise on the iron ore regions of the United States, gives his approval to the startling statement that 'Pennsylvania rich as she is, is poor in iron ores as compared with Virginia.'

"The hand of nature gave to Virginia a dower so rich that even Pennsylvania, her great and opulent sister, is poor in comparison. Coal and all other ingredients are also there in profusion for the development of her untold wealth. Will not her people reach forth their hands and appropriate these treasures? When they do the dust of humiliation will be wiped from her brow, and her escutcheon will blaze with a stronger light than ever before.

TO THE CONSERVATIVE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA:

You are requested to meet in your respective wards, on Thursday, August 17th, 1882, at 8 o'clock p. m., and select delegates to represent you in the Congressional Convention, for the 8th District, which will convene in this city, September 6th next. The several wards are entitled to representation as follows: First Ward, 3; second, 2; third, 5; and fourth, 3. The meetings will be held—

For the First Ward—At McLean's oyster parking house, opposite GAZETTE office.
Second Ward—At the Sun Engine House.
Third Ward—At the Hotel of the City.
Fourth Ward—At the Friendship Engine House.
By order of the Executive Committee,
W. W. HERRERT, Chairman.
JAS. R. CATON, Secretary.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE MAILS.

CLOSING.
Washington, D. C., and Northern mails 6:15 a. m., 12 m., and 6 and 8:15 p. m.
Western mails, 4:30 and 8:15 p. m.
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 11:00 a. m., and 4:30 and 9:00 p. m.
South and Southern mails, via Lynchburg, Va., through mails, 9:00 p. m. Through and way mails, 6:00 a. m.
Manassas Division 6:00 a. m.
Warrenton 4:30 p. m.
Alexandria to Round Hill, Va., 8:00 a. m.
OPENING.
Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 8:30 a. m., 12 m., and 6 p. m.
Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 8:30 a. m., and 1:00 p. m.
Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, 8:30 a. m., and 1:00 p. m.
Manassas Division 6:15 p. m.
Warrenton 9:15 a. m.
Office Hours—Office opens at 8:30 a. m., and closes at 7:00 p. m.
Sunday Hours—Office opens at 9:00 a. m., and closes at 9:30 a. m.

Call for a District Convention.

The undersigned, members of the State Central Committee of the Conservative Democratic party of Virginia, do hereby call a Convention of the party to meet in the city of Alexandria on Wednesday, September 6th, 1882, at 12 o'clock m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the 48th Congress. The basis of representation will be one delegate and one alternate for every 100 votes and fraction of 100 over 50 received by Maj. John W. Daniel, at the gubernatorial election in 1881, and the counties and cities will be entitled to representation as follows, viz:—
Alexandria county, 2 Delegates, 2 Alternates.
Alexandria city, 12 " 13 "
Clarke, 10 " 10 "
Culpeper, 12 " 12 "
Fauquier, 15 " 15 "
Frederick, 15 " 15 "
Loudoun, 22 " 22 "
Madison, 6 " 6 "
Orange, 10 " 10 "
Baptist, 10 " 10 "
Warren, 5 " 5 "
Winchester, 5 " 5 "
150 " 150 "

The delegates and alternates will be elected in such manner as the respective County and City Committees may determine.
K. KEMPER,) Committee
JAMES HAY,) from
E. HOLMES BOYD,) 8th Dist.
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